

HIDDEN VALE WILDLIFE CENTRE (HVWC)

Application to become a HVWC post-graduate student

Application outline

This document is provided so you can consider how to best answer questions required to apply to be a Hidden Vale Student.

Applications will ONLY BE CONSIDERED when received through this [ONLINE FORM](#).

Any responses received by any other means will be ignored.

If you have concerns about how to answer any of these questions, you should consult with your Advisor or contact our (Acting) Research Manager, [Karen Gillow](#) by email.

Please also browse our [web site](#) for further information about HVWC research objectives

The information in this form is used to assess whether the research project you are proposing to embark on aligns with the objectives of the HVP. All submissions will be assessed on the following criteria, so please provide as much detail as possible.

- Quality and relevance of the student project;
- Academic calibre of the student;
- Availability of appropriate university supervision.

If you are successful in your application a range of support will be made available for you, including:

- Access to equipment and vehicles for field work;
- Free one-on-one support for statistics;
- Training and social events with other Hidden Vale students;
- Competitive research support funding; and
- Research support to compliment that provided by your supervisors.

You will have the opportunity to save and return to the online form, and a copy of your response will be emailed to the address you provide upon completion for the form.

What we need to know about you ...

1. Name:
2. Email:
3. Contact phone number:
4. Select the statement below that best describes your tertiary education history:
 - I am a current UQ undergraduate student
 - UQ graduate
 - I am a current UQ post-graduate student
 - I am a current undergraduate at another university
 - I recently graduated from another university
 - Please note your University if NOT UQ

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5. Which program/s are you interested in?
 - PhD
 - Masters
 - Honours
 - Other:

6. Proposed commencement date: (eg Semester 1, 2021):

Your proposed Advisory Team

1. Principal Advisor, their Institution and whether they have confirmed they will be your advisor or whether this is still under discussion
2. First co-advisor, their Institution and whether they have confirmed they will be your advisor or whether this is still under discussion
3. Second co-advisor, their Institution and whether they have confirmed they will be your advisor or whether this is still under discussion

Your proposed research

1. What Field/s of research are you most interested in, and why?

See [website](#) for more information. If you are expressing interest in a particular research project or theme, please make a note of that here.

2. Provide an example of a research question you might aim to answer. *A file can be attached for this*

CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY when answering this question:

How would you conduct the research?

Why is this research important?

What impact will this research have?

(This response should be around 1-2 pages long. Use of literature to back up your response is encouraged)

3. How would your research help the Hidden Vale Project meet [its objectives](#), and ultimately improve conservation outcomes in Australia? *A file can be attached for this*
4. You must also upload your academic transcripts and your current CV.